



# Metro/Nashville Public Works Director Rick Conner

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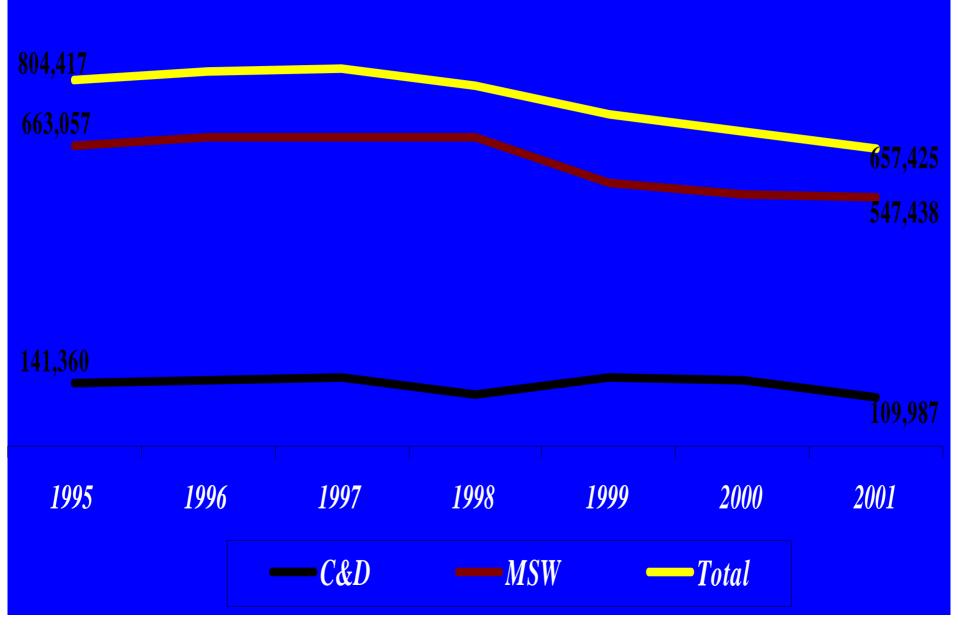
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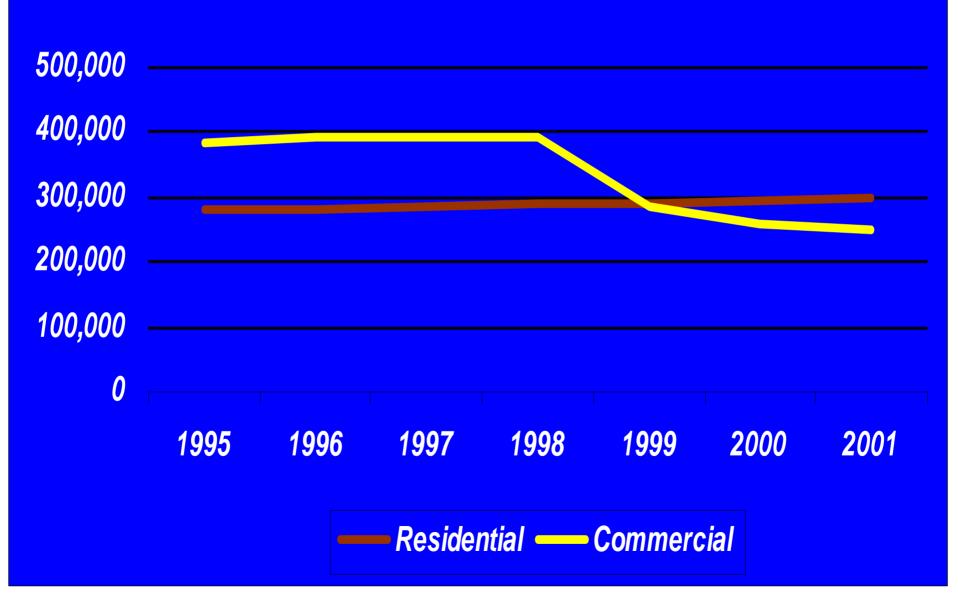


# Metro/Nashville's Waste Stream

#### Metro/Nashville Tons Of Waste Generated



#### Nashville Residential & Commercial Waste





### Residential & Commercial Tonnage Ratio

Waste	<b>2001 Tons</b>	%	EPA National %
Residential	297,707	54%	55-65%
Commercial	249,731	46%	35-45%



# Transfer and Disposal Operations In Metro/Nashville



#### Two C&D Landfills

- Central Pike Landfill
- Southern Services









#### **C&D REUSE**

#### **Green Deconstruction**

- Specialty Companies
- Salvage Companies



#### **Two MSW Transfer Stations**

- Waste Management, Inc.
- BFI (Under Construction)
- Gray's Disposal















#### The Division of Waste Management



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- 104 Employees
- 123,000 Residential Garbage Collections a Week
- •115,000 Residential Recycling Collections A Month
- 28,000 Tons of Brush Turned Into Mulch a Year
- Household Hazardous Waste Collection
- Recycling Drop Offs
- Community Clean-Ups

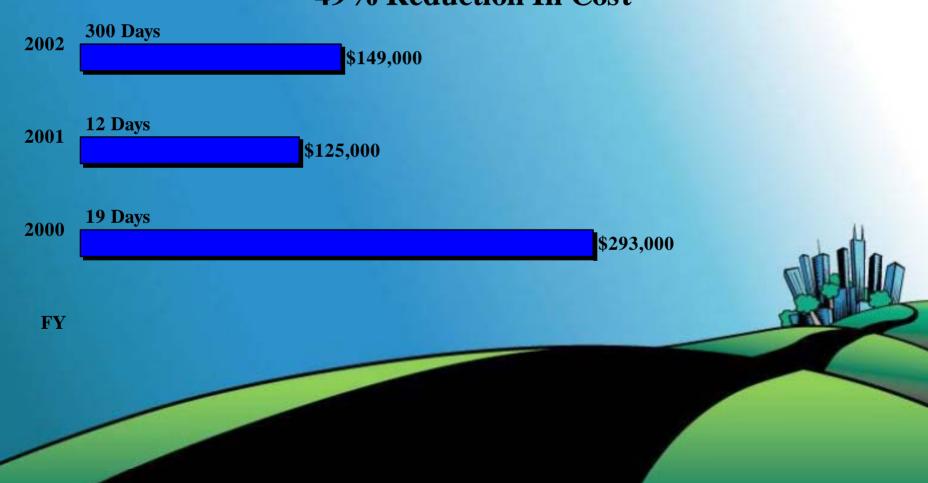


#### Customer Service 880-1000

- A Professional Customer Service Center
- Total of 10 agents available to answer calls
- Open 7:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.
- 52,372 Calls Since April 15, 2002
- Bilingual speaking agents available



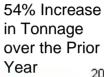
### Household Hazardous Waste 2,400% Increase In Days of Operation 49% Reduction In Cost

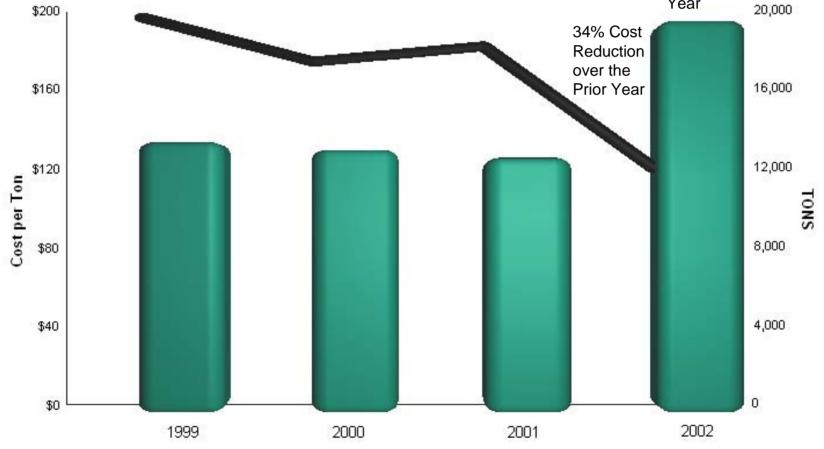


#### **Brush Collection**

Fiscal Year	Tons	Cost Per Ton
1999	13,229	\$194
2000	12,857	\$173
2001	12,464	\$180
2002	19,150	\$120









#### Recycling / Convenience Centers 93% Increase In Number Of Customers, 26% Drop In Total Cost





### Drop Off Recycling Cost Reduction, 32% Tonnage Increase





#### **Curby Recycling**

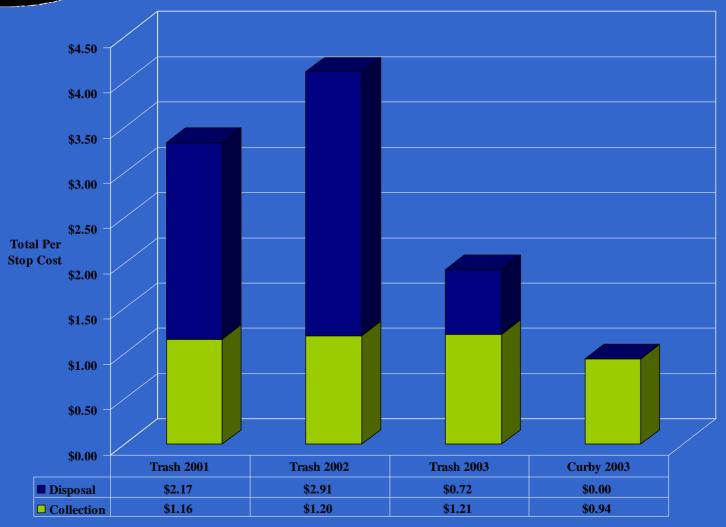
#### **Curbside Recycling**





# RECYCLE It's Nashville's Nature

### Per Stop Residential Trash and Recycling Collection and Disposal Cost







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